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NCRTD TO SPONSOR A SERIES OF COMMUNITY MEETINGS
AS IT UPDATES ITS FIVE-YEAR SERVICE PLAN

The North Central Regional Transit District (NCRTD) will sponsor a series of public meetings to get feedback and service enhancement suggestions from its riders. The NCRTD has brought in independent transportation planners, The KFH Group and Santa Fe based Southwest Planning to conduct ten public meetings to update a five-year service plan and ensure continued safe, secure, and efficient service.

More than 185 thousand free passenger trips were provided by the NCRTD last fiscal year covering more than 10 thousand square miles in North Central New Mexico. The routes connect communities and pueblos within Los Alamos, Rio Arriba, Santa Fe and Taos counties. Among the pueblos serviced are Tesuque, Pojoaque, Nambé, San Ildefonso, Santa Clara and Ohkay Owingeh.

The public meetings will be held in ten communities located within the NCRTD service area including:

June 5, 2013-**Española** – 6:30pm NCRTD Boardroom
June 6, 2013-**Edgewood**-6:30pm Edgewood Community Center
June 10, 2013-**Taos** – 6:30pm County Commission Chambers
June 11, 2013-**Los Alamos** 6:30pm Fuller Lodge
June 11, 2013-**Tierra Amarilla**-6:30pm County Chamber Offices
June 11, 2013-**Eldorado**-6:30pm Railroad Building
June 12, 2013-**Madrid**-6:30pm Fire Station
June 12, 2013-**Questa**-6:30pm Council Chambers
June 13, 2013-**La Cienega**-6:30pm Fire Station
June 13, 2013-**Peñasco**-6:30pm Community Center

The NCRTD is inviting the public to express their thoughts on route and service enhancements, and how to best meet their needs.

For more information or to provide comments via the internet visit www.ridethebluebus.com/

Light Refreshments will be served.

For additional information contact: Southwest Planning and Marketing 1-505-989-8500

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